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MANUFACTURING METHOD AND CIRCUIT
DEVICE

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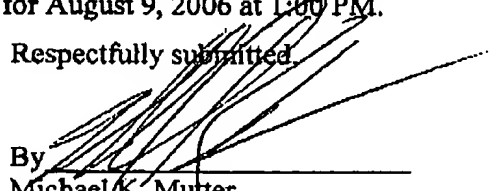
Sir:

In response to the Notice of Hearing mailed June 23, 2006, Appellant hereby confirms his request for an oral hearing in the above-identified matter. Either the undersigned or Chad J. Billings (Reg. No. 48,917) will attend the oral hearing. Additionally, Mr. Yasunori Chiba, a representative of the Assignee, will attend the hearing.

The hearing is currently scheduled for August 9, 2006 at 1:00 PM.

Dated: July 13, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

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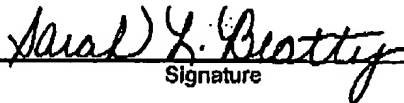
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